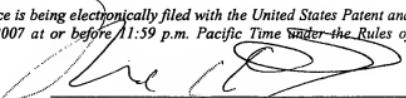


PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Kal Harrekilde-Petersen, et al. Confirmation No. 3414
Application No. : 10/617,884
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Title : MEANS AND A METHOD FOR SWITCHING
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Docket No. : 57710/V165

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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated March 23, 2007 for three month(s) from June 23, 2007 to September 24, 2007.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	Fee
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 60	\$ 120	\$0.00
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 225	\$ 450	\$0.00
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 510	\$ 1020	\$1020.00
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 795	\$1590	\$0.00
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1080	\$2160	\$0.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 03-1728 \$ 1020.00 to cover the cost of the extension.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account 03-1728.

Respectfully submitted,

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